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Pressing Onward to Fresh Laurels!

The past has shown us what we could do. And taking its record as the pattern for our future course, we've made every effort to surpass each week the most brilliant achievement that has preceded. Just as long as we remain imbued with this tireless ambition, just so long will The Busy Corner continue to stand out brilliantly in contrast to the other establishments of Washington. Its entire history has been characterized by strong individuality. We have done what other stores have feared to undertake. When faint-hearted concerns have faltered we have never hesitated. When decision and alertness and activity were paramount we've never lacked them, and the result of our enterprise is apparent in the proud position which we hold today, as first among the leading merchants of Washington. From a strange concern occupying a single floor five years ago we have spread and broadened into the recognized leaders of the National Capital.



200 Pieces of Plaids Reduced from 49c and 59c to 39c.

Take your pick of 25 distinct and separate patterns. Not a piece in all the lot that isn't all-wool, and half the assortment is made up of silk and wool novelties. All the gorgeous and warm lined colorings of Highland Scotland—plaids with reds predominating and plaids strong in greens and blues and purples. 59c only ever bought such worth. 49c was the distinctive price of the Busy Corner.

40-inch All-wool. Imported Poplins—every shade a little wider in width and width than any ever given you. 49c

45-inch Cloth-finish Drap d'Ete in browns, greens, reds, castor, plum, navy, sapin, and black. Over in gay Paris the shops get 4 francs a yard for it. A usual 51 quality. 69c

All-wool Illuminated Chevrons—about as rich a fabric as any the weavers have designed. Nothing can touch it for steadfast wear. The line of shades is splendid. Reduced from 65c to 49c

52-inch Melton in handsome illuminated effects. The color assortment of this line is somewhere imperfect and we're forced by the necessity of having to clear out what's left at cost. Reduced from \$1.10 to 75c

We'll throw 50 different mixtures on the counters tomorrow to let you pick over at 39c. Their prices used to be 65c and 59c. All sorts of silk and wool effects—exactly the same widths all through. The king pin of values at 39c

An exquisite grade of Twilled Black Broadcloth, this is a 50 inch goods, with the finish and character of 21 qualities. No suit cloth ever can dim its popularity. In all the good shades, including a splendid black. Our accustomed 59c, grade. 69c

All sorts of Novelty Serges—about a dozen distinctive effects. None in the array less than 42 inches in width. Couldn't pick out a value that presages better wear or price that is more phenomenal, worth 29c. 15c

GOOD BYE TO THE PATTERN HATS We're Going to Clear

The department of all its pattern hats and toques and bonnets. No mercy in any direction. Everything whipped up by the lash of reduction. Must be cleaned out. These goods are yours. They've served their purpose well! They've been mirrors into which you could look for fashion's every little whim, and now that styles are settled we'll cut prices without a twinge of remorse. Every single hat is an original creation. They have been displayed at our recent openings and you know their perfection too well for us to laud 'em any more.

\$5 values go for \$2.50.
\$10 values go for \$5.00.
\$20 values go for \$10.00.
\$25 values go for \$12.50.
\$30 and \$35 values go for \$15.00.

These Prices Hold Only for Monday.

Specials in Millinery Trimmings.

First of all, there are several thousand feathers and wings and pheasants' breasts and curved quills and Spanish coque feathers. Part of 'em came with the La Vake purchase early in the week. Part of 'em are from our own stock. Not an item that isn't worth three and four times its price.

25c Feathers will go for 5c.
30c Feathers will go for 8c.
50c Feathers will go for 19c.
60c and 75c Feathers will go for 25c.
\$1 and \$1.50 Feathers will go for 49c.

Bunch of Long Stem Violets. 7c
Bunch of 12 Wood Violets. 25c
5-inch Black Ostrich Plumes. 49c
18-inch Black Amazon Plumes. \$1.98
Black Velvet Shapes. 89c

Domestics and Flannels.

Choice of 500 dozen ready-made Bleach Pillow Cases—4x26 deep hem. Utica and Dray brand, 12-12 to 15c value. 93c
100 dozen Water Twist Bleach Sheets, 6x36—well made. 34c
One case Alexandria 45-inch Bleach Pillow Cases—worth 10c. 6c
Lonsdale Cambric—best grade—full yard wide. 7c
50 pieces best Apron Gingham made in America. Two choice styles in checks and fancy effects. 5c
Talbot Medicated Red Twill Flannel worth 25c. 29c
Lawrence All-wool Red Twill. Worth 15c. 103c
Chinchilla, yard wide White Flannel. Worth 50c. 43c
Parker White Wool Flannel, worth 15c. 124c
Cinderella Flannel in blue, pink and cream. Worth 10c. 83c
A. B. C. White Shaker Flannel. Worth 41-2c. 24c
Schley Extra Heavy Canton Flannel. Worth 10c. 74c
Housewife Canton Flannel. Worth 5c. 24c
Swansdown, All-wool Skirt Patterns. Worth \$1.25. 98c
"Faulkner" Skirt Patterns, fancy border, crochet edge, worth 25c. 15c
100 pieces Amoskeag Outing Flannel, new and choice styles, worth 83-4c. 64c

The Lowest Prices on Mantles Ever Quoted.

We've just closed a deal, and a whopper! Secured almost 5,000 Incandescent Mantles. Nothing the matter with any of 'em. The factory guarantees 'em to be perfect, and we'll back 'em up. As a leader we'll give you 15c and 19c Mantles for 10c

A Special Curtain and Drapery Sale.

150 pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains, 50 inches wide, 31-2 yards long. Regular price \$1.50. 98c
100 pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains, full 60 inches wide, 31-2 yards long, regular price \$2. 139
100 pairs Scotch Lace Curtains, 31-2 yards long; fine Brussels effects. Regular price \$3. 198
75 pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains, 31-2 yards long, tulle and renais-sance patterns. Regular price \$4. 249
White Irish Point Curtains, 31-2 yards long, worth \$6.50. 398
White Irish Point Curtains, 31-2 yards long. Worth \$6.50. 449
Real Saxony Brussels Net Curtains, 31-2 yards long. Worth \$8.50. 649
Real Saxony Brussels Net Curtains, 31-2 yards long. Worth \$10. 798
Tapestry Portieres, 31-3 yards long, reduced from \$2 to. 119
Cotton Derby Portieres, satin faced, reduced from \$4 to. 298
Heavy Armure Rep Portieres, reduced from \$7.50 to. 549
To all purchasers of curtains, 5-foot Wood Pole and Fixtures complete. 9c
200 pieces 26-in. Gold Cloth Drapery, 10c quality, for. 5c
100 pieces 26-in. Nottingham Fish Net, 18c quality, for. 124c

A Merry Pace in Linings.

Not much trouble for us to maintain it, but competition goes lame after a little effort to walk at the same gait we're accustomed to assume. No department in the store like it. As fast as we give additional room—just so soon is there need for even greater space. Trade keeps growing and growing—perhaps because prices are ever on the decline.

16-inch genuine gray imported Herringbone Herringbone—worth 25c. 124c

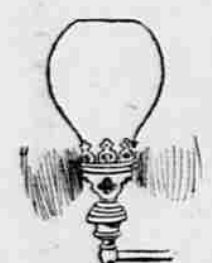
16-inch guaranteed fast black moire, soft finish percaline. Worth 6c. 6c

Extra fine twilled silk in black and every color. Actual value, 12-12c. 74c

Best quality extra heavy, all-linen canvas, in black, gray and white. Worth 15 cents. 14c

26-inch best quality fine pattern black back figured waist lining. Was 25c. 16c

An Incandescent Lamp With a Kann Guarantee for 25c.



Here it is; looks just like an incandescent electric light, only it gives twice the brilliancy. You can have 'em in pear or bulb shape—fitted with a fine mantle and ready to be put up. Makes twice the light on half the expenditure of gas. Worth 50c and some places you'd pay 69c. 25c

A Special Purchase in Fur Trimmings.

One of the trimming houses with twelve years decided to drop the sale was couched in terms so low that we didn't buy any of their heavier goods. The lots are sorted all ready, and tomorrow we expect 'em to go off in apple-pie order.

In lot 1 are a number of genuine mink tails. They are of the first quality, and usually sell at 85c each. You can have 'em at 39c. 39c

In lot 2 are a number of skunk and opossum tail ornaments, arranged three in a bunch. They are worth about 45c a bunch. We'll sell 'em for 29c. 29c

In lot 3 are all sorts of fur heads. Different sizes and imitations of Marten, Krimmer, and Stone Marten. They're worth 25 and 35c each. They'll go for 19c. 19c

whom we've had dealings for the past two years and made us a proposition which accepted them at once. Mind you, we didn't buy any of their heavier goods. Only the band trimmings and edgings. We expect 'em to go off in apple-pie order.

In lot 4 are several hundred pieces of fur trimmings. Here you'll find Sable, Coney, Electric Seal, and Mink Tails. None of it is worth under 25c. Some pieces are 45c value. 19c

In lot 5 are one-inch Astrakhan, Krimmer, and Skunk and Opossum trimmings. They're of a quality that retails at 45 and 65c a yard. 29c

In lot 6 you'll get one-inch Persian Lamb, Marten and Sable Fur trimmings, worth from 65 to 95c a yard. You can have it at 39c. 39c

\$39.50 Real Astrakhan Fur Jackets \$25

Providential chance threw us the opportunity to acquire them. Just 25. The maker who had 'em on hand gave 'em to us at a little more than half what he would have asked us had we bought at the sea-son's start. They are made of the very finest quality genuine fur. Some are curled and some are in moire effect. Not made from pieces but from entire skin. They have small sleeves and tight-fitting coat back and straight dropping front. Lined all through with the finest and heaviest black satin procurable. Worth all and every bit of \$39.50. We're particular to name that price exactly because we are going by the 'lowest marked similar garments that have been shown in Washington. Exclusive fur stores would ask you \$50. Monday we'll offer 'em at. 25

S. KANN, SONS & CO., 8th and Market Space.

AT JOHNSTONS, 729 AND 731 SEVENTH STREET.

400 large easy Rocking Chairs, 5 dozen handsome Parlor Tables, 3 dozen ladies' oak and cherry finish Writing Desks, and 3 dozen Hat Racks can be secured free this week for completed premium cards. Complete your premium cards and ask to be shown this handsome line of useful and reliable furniture.

Cutting Prices THIS WEEK. REDUCTION SALE ON All Groceries.

Best Loin Roasts of Pork for 7½c lb.
Fresh Beef for Boiling 5c lb.
Good Roasts of Fresh Beef for 7c lb.
Best Pure Leaf Lard for 6½c lb.
Best Fresh Loin Pork Chops for 8c lb.

BEST POTATOES For 55c Bushel.

Large, Smooth Burbank Potatoes, every bushel guaranteed satisfactory in every respect, 55c bu.

OUR REDUCTION SALE PRICE,
Best Family Flour . . . \$3.95 bbl.
Ballard's Obelisk Flour . . . \$4.75 bbl.

OUR REDUCTION SALE PRICE,
Pillsbury's Best Flour . . . \$4.85 bbl.

Pillsbury's Best Flour is receiving great attention at the hands of the most particular and exacting buyers of flour. "Pillsbury's Best is Best." We know of no superior brand.

Best Elgin Butter For 24c pound.

We are gaining hundreds of new buyers each day in our butter department. The fact of our selling only one grade of butter, "The Best Elgin," at this reduction sale price, 24c pound, is exceedingly interesting to all housekeepers.

Smoked White Fish.

Those large, fat and bright smoked White Fish are unrivaled as an appetizer. Wrap them in old-fashioned brown paper and roast until they break open. Price, 5 cents each. Smoked Roe fish, 3 for 10 cents.

CAKES AND CRACKERS.

Large Squares of Fruit Cake, Orange Cake, Lemon Cake, Marbled Chocolate and Lemon Cake, etc., for 10 cents each; best Oyster Crackers, 5c lb.; Round Crackers, 5c lb.; Ginger Snaps, 5c; Square Crackers, 5c lb.; fine Vanilla Wafers, Marshmallow Cakes, etc., for 12c lb.

EAGLE MILK, 13c.

Large cans of Gail Borden's Eagle Brand of Condensed Milk for 13 cents each. The celebrated Baby Brand Condensed Milk for 9c can. Largest size cans Superb Cream for 10c. Small Imperial Cream for 6c can.

Quaker Oats, 9c pkg.

25c L'a & Perrins' Sauce for 19c
Proctor & Gamble's Oleine Soap 3½c
Large packages Pillsbury's Vitos 13c
6 pounds Best Lump Starch for 25c
25c Durkee's Salad Dressing for 19c
Shultz's Star Soap for 2½c cake
Large packages of Wheatlet for 13c
5 pounds Best Washing Soda for 9c

Tomatoes, 7½c can.

The large cans of choicest Standard Tomatoes, for 7½c can. Sugar Corn for 6 cents per can. Canned Lima Beans, 6c can. Boston Baked Beans, largest size, for 8c can.

CALIFORNIA EVAPORATED FRUITS.

Good California Evap. Peaches, for 8c lb.; Large Sweet Silver Prunes, very bright, very large, 12c lb.; Large Bright Nectarines, 12c lb.; choice White California Evap. King Apples, 12c lb.; good new Prunes, 8c lb.; old fashion Virginia Sun Dried Apples, bright stock, 7c lb.

Anderson's Soups and Jams.

We carry a full line of Anderson's delicious soups in condensed form. Vegetable, Pea, Chicken, Mock Turtle, Oxtail, Asparagus, Consomme, etc., 10c each. Also the well-known Eagle Brand Apple Butter at 10c per large cans.

COFFEE PRICES.

Java and Mocha Coffee 30c lb
Good Golden Rio Coffee 15c lb
Arbuckle's Package Coffee 10½c
Best Maracaibo Coffee 20c lb
Good Plain Rio Coffee 10c lb
Levering's or Lion Package Coffee 10½c lb

We will grind or pulverize any of the above brands if the customer desires.

Johnstons, 729 7th St.